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In re application of

Masahiro KATO et al.

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Group 2627

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INFORMATION RECORDING APPARATUS AND METHOD THEREOF, AND WAVEFORM DATA GENERATING DEVICE AND METHOD THEREOF

AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

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Sir:

Applicants respond to the Official Action of April 10, 2008, extended one month, as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 11 of this paper.